**Song of Songs Chapter 2**

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**Review:**

Purpose: “To fuel personal devotion.”

Plot Overview: The Song of Songs is a love story between a King and a humble, unlikely woman, the Shulamite. In this poem we will watch their relationship develop and grow. We will see the Shulamite reject the King, embrace the King, and even endure persecution for love’s sake. Along the journey, we will watch as the Shulamite is transformed by love. She begins her journey as insecure, selfish, and fearful. She ends her journey as a victorious, overcoming bride that is mature in love.

Chapter 1

* The Shulamite’s journey begins with hunger.
* She encounters the King and her response is that she feels “dark” and “unworthy”.
* The King interrupts her to say “Yet you are so lovely!”

**Chapter 2:**

Verse 1

* His Rose
* The very theme of his song
* Overshadowed by his love
* Growing in the valley

She’s starting to see herself through his eyes.

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The Shepherd King (verse 2)

YES! (You’re getting it!)

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You stand out from all the rest.

For though the curse of sin surrounds you,

still you remain as pure as a lily,

even more than all the others.

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